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SUMMARY OF MEETINGS

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Report of the Economic and Social Council: draft resolution A/56/L.76 [12]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 12.

The Assembly adopted draft resolution A/56/L.76 (resolution 56/281).

The Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 12.

Appointment of members of the Joint Inspection Unit: note by the President of the General Assembly (A/56/110) [17 (g)]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (g) of agenda item 17.

The General Assembly appointed Mr. Even Francisco Fontaine Ortiz (Cuba), Mr. Tang Guangting (China), Mr. Victor Vislykh (Russian Federation), Ms. Deborah Wynes (United States of America) and Mr. Muhammad Yussuf (United Republic of Tanzania) as members of the Joint Inspection Unit for a five-year term of office beginning on 1 January 2003 and expiring on 31 December 2007.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (g) of agenda item 17.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [18]

(a) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples (A/56/894)

(b) Draft resolution (A/56/894, para. 4)

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 18.

The representative of Papua New Guinea made a statement.

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Committee in paragraph 4 of its report (A/56/894) (resolution 56/282).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 18.

Follow-up to the outcome of the special session on children [26]

The General Assembly resumed consideration of agenda item 26.

Note: The PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA and the SUMMARY OF MEETINGS of bodies other than those of the General Assembly at its fifty-sixth session appear in Part II (English/French) of the present issue of the *Journal* (No. 2002/84 (Part II)).

The Assembly decided that the Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Nepal would replace the President of the Republic of Korea as the sixth co-chairperson who would co-chair roundtable 3 of the special session of the General Assembly on children.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 26.

Adoption of the agenda and organization of work: draft decision (A/56/L.77) [8]

The representative of the Secretariat made a statement.

The General Assembly adopted draft decision A/56/L.77.

The representative of Cuba made a statement in explanation of vote.

The Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 8.

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